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Dr. Lydia T. Evans

Mayor Kowal

Mrs. Richard A. Slominski

...the Mayor congratulates new School Board members

## Doctor, Lawyer Join School Board

Mayor Chester Kowal appointed Dr. Lydia T. Evans, a pediatrician, and Mrs. Alfreda W. Slominski, a lawyer, to one-year terms on the Board of Education Friday.

The appointments were filed with the city clerk's office. They will go to the Common Council for confirmation.

One vacancy was created by the expiration May 1 of the term of Mrs. Joseph A. Sarnosciak and the other by the expansion of the board to six members this year.

Dr. Evans, 40, the former Lydia T. Wright, and her husband, Dr. Frank G. Evans, live at 633 Humboldt Pky. with their children, Tamara L. and Frank G. Jr. They are members of St. Philip's Episcopal Church.

Mayor Kowal called Dr. Evans' appointment "an historic one." She is the first Negro to serve on the board.

She was born in Cincinnati, attended the University of Cincinnati and Fisk University, and received her M.D. from Meharry Medical College in 1947.

She served at Harlem Hospital and Willard Parker Hospital in New York City and Boston Children's Hospital from 1947 until she opened a pediatrics office here in January, 1952.

Dr. Evans is a diplomate of the American Board of Pediatrics, member of the American Academy of Pediatrics, clinical instructor in pediatrics at the University of Buffalo, and a Children's Hospital staff member.

Mrs. Slominski, 33, is associated with her husband, Richard A. Slominski, in general law practice at 1130 Broadway. They live at 48 Thatcher Ave. with their children, Barbara [redacted] and Mary M. [redacted].

She attended Our Lady of Czestochowa School, North Tonawanda, and North Tonawanda High School, received a bachelor of arts degree in history and government from UB in February, 1950, and was graduated from the UB Law School in 1952.

She was an intelligence officer for the Central Intelligence Agency in Washington, D.C., from July, 1952, until her marriage in 1953.

Mrs. Slominski is a member of the Polish Women's Alliance, Kappa Beta Pi International Legal Sorority, Ladies Sodality of St. James Roman Catholic Church, Republican Polish American League of Erie County, and Sixth Assembly District Republican Club president of the Advocates Auxiliary, and first vice president of the School 78 PTA.

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